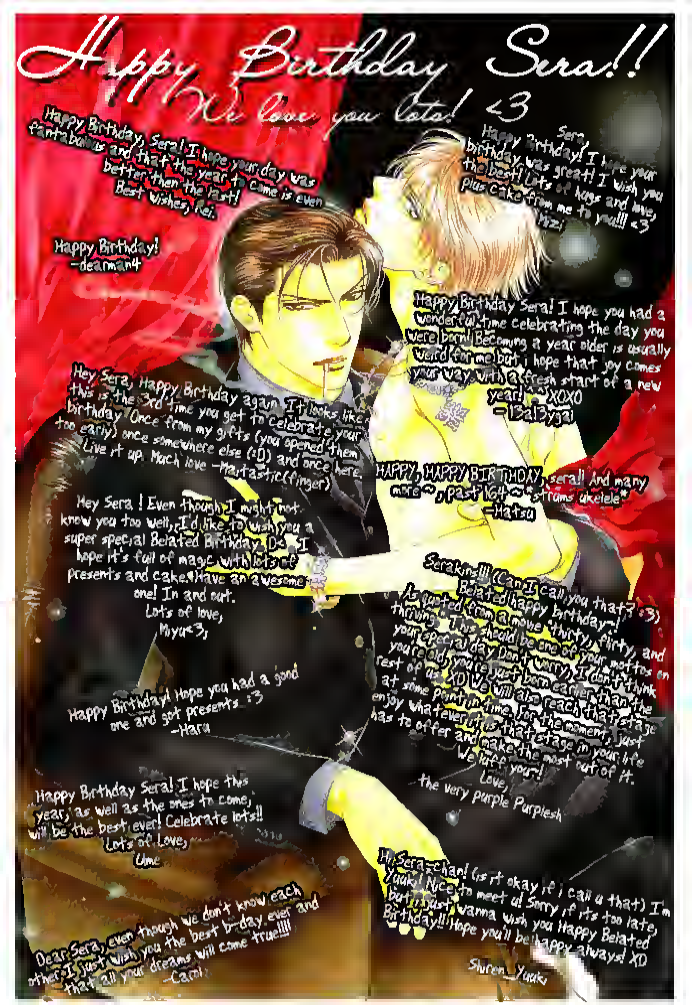
Happy Birthday Sera!!
We love you lots! <3
Happy Birthday, Sera! I hope your day was extraordinary and that the year to come is even better than the last! Best Wishes, Kei.
Happy Birthday!
-dearman4
Sera,
Happy Birthday! I hope your birthday was great! I wish you the best!! Lots of kisses and hugs plus Cake from me to you!!! <3
Mizi
Happy Birthday Sera! I hope you had a wonderful time celebrating the day you were born! Becoming a year older is usually weird for me but I hope that you comes your way with a fresh start of a new year! XOXO
-BaByga
Hey Sera, Happy Birthday again. It looks like this is the 3rd time you get to celebrate your birthday. Once from my gifts (you opened them too early) once somewhere else (:D) and once here. Live it up. Much love -martastic(finger)
HAPPY, HAPPY BIRTHDAY, sera!! And many more~, Peace! Love~ <3 "I'm ukelele"
-Haikou
Hey Sera ! Even though I might not know you too well, I'd like to wish you a super special Belated Birthday. Dd I hope it's full of magic with lots of presents and cake. Have an awesome one! In and out.
Lots of love,
Myuu<3;
Seraku-!!! (Can I call you that? <3) Belated happy birthday~! As quoted from a movie "dirty, flirty, and thirty". I've heard some of your friends mention that you're 20 now. Welcome to the rest of us. XD We will also teach that stage at some point in time. For the moment, just enjoy whatever it is that stage in your life has to offer and make the most out of it.
We love you!
Love,
the very purple Purplesh
Happy Birthday!! Hope you had a good one and got presents :3
-Hana
Happy Birthday Sera! I hope this year, as well as the ones to come, will be the best ever! Celebrate lots!! Lots of Love,
Ume
Hi Sera-chan! (is it okay if i call u that) I'm Yuuki. Nice to meet u! Sorry if it's too late, but I just wanna wish you Happy Belated Birthday!! Hope you'll be happy always! XD
Shuren_Yuuki
Dear Sera, even though we don't know each other, I just wish you the best birthday ever and that all your dreams will come true!!!!
-Cami

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今年の別マはとびきりキュート♥
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2007年ミラクル 新連載スタート!
見たこともない新しいおとこHAPPYが始まる……!
りんごの国のおとぎ話
バンビの手紙
LETTER FROM BAMBI
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待望の初連載!
そして、あの人気バンドシリーズもコミックスに!
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I DOZED OFF!
AGH!! NEW YEAR'S IS BEGIN-NING!
MY KIMONO!!
WHERE'S MY MUFFLER?!
Shake
Shake
Shake
MOM!

10
HEY, RINKO!
QUIT RUNNING AROUND OR YOU'LL BREAK THE HOUSE.
only 10 seconds left until the new year!
Stomp
Stomp
GYAHH!!
this year is finally coming to an end.
It really did break...
Da Da Da Da Da Da GYA_Da AAA! Da Da
KRRooo--
Da-ooock!
AHH!
Thump!
about one unfortunate event occurs in a one day period
For normal people
!?

The countdown to my fate.
5
Da
Da
Da
Da
Da
Snuffle
DRIP
URGH.
BLOOD!
But it's different for me.
MOM, DISINFECTANT! BAND-AIDS!
WHAT'S THAT? GO WASH YOUR HANDS!
Unfortunate events seem to pile on top of one another.
I will definitely
4
Find happiness this upcoming year.
3
2
Knock

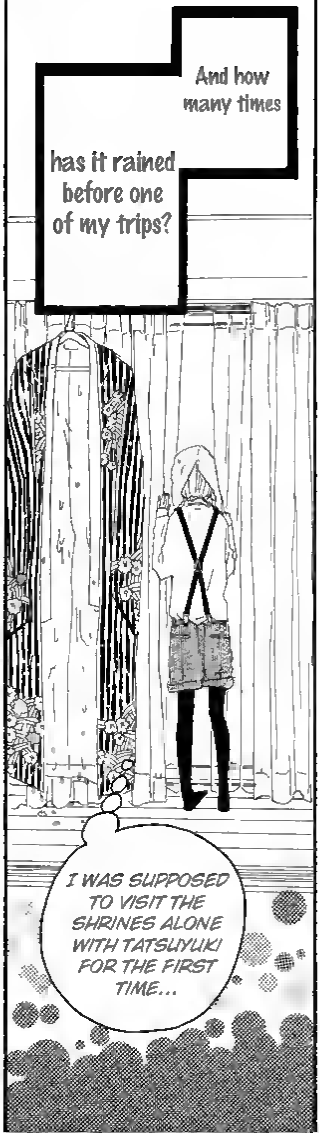
happy new year's!!
SHOOSH
BWOOOSH
1
AGH!!
Faucet
KRO-
-ack
SOB
RINKO
ジャ!!!!
I'm tired of this life!!

It's also my worn-out crumbling house.
This place is an apple farm in the mountains.

How many times have I thought of reforming it?
VWOOOOSH
Are you still at home? Rinho?!
No good. There's a huge snow-storm!
Let's put it off until tomorrow!
How many times have I lost in rock-paper-scissors?

I'll become an old lady and waste away...
I wonder if just like this,
without ever finding happiness,

THOK!
OUCH.
OUUUCCH----


And how many times has it rained before one of my trips?
I WAS SUPPOSED TO VISIT THE SHRINES ALONE WITH TATSUYUKI FOR THE FIRST TIME...

When did I buy this?
What's this?
Magic spells?
Your dreams fulfilled
Magic Spell
100¥
Even you can find happiness with this.
Even you can find happiness with this.
your dreams fulfilled
Magic Spell
Then anyone in the world can find happiness!
If I can find happiness with this...
Who am I kidding?
Wh...

No, even if it's only for 3 months,
Even if it's only this year.
What if this works?
What if...
But...
.....
If it brings me days filled with happiness...
Hey!
But
That's impossible.....
SCRATCH
SCRATCH
New Year's night
THUD
It exi-sts!
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
BAWHOOOOSH
THOK!
OUCH.
SCRAPE
SCRAPE
A Magic Spell For 3 months of Happiness
This is a magic spell befitting someone who is unlucky everyday☆

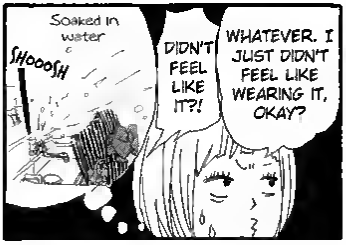
I'M FINISHED.
ALL RIGHT.....
RUSTLE
LET'S SEE...
I pray,
oh God...

Oh, God
I offer you this apple.
I pray that you will incline your ear to listen to my voice.
I pray that
my wish will reach you.
*Agape, is the greek term for "love"
A-ga-pe!*
WHOOOOOSH!

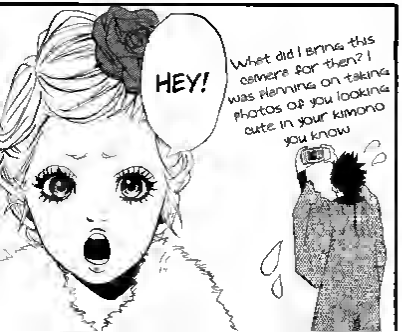
What's this?
Doesn't seem to be helping much!
What's this "Agape!"
How...
How embarrassing...
VWOO--
--OOSH
!?
Roll
RUSTLE
KYAAH!
RUSTLE

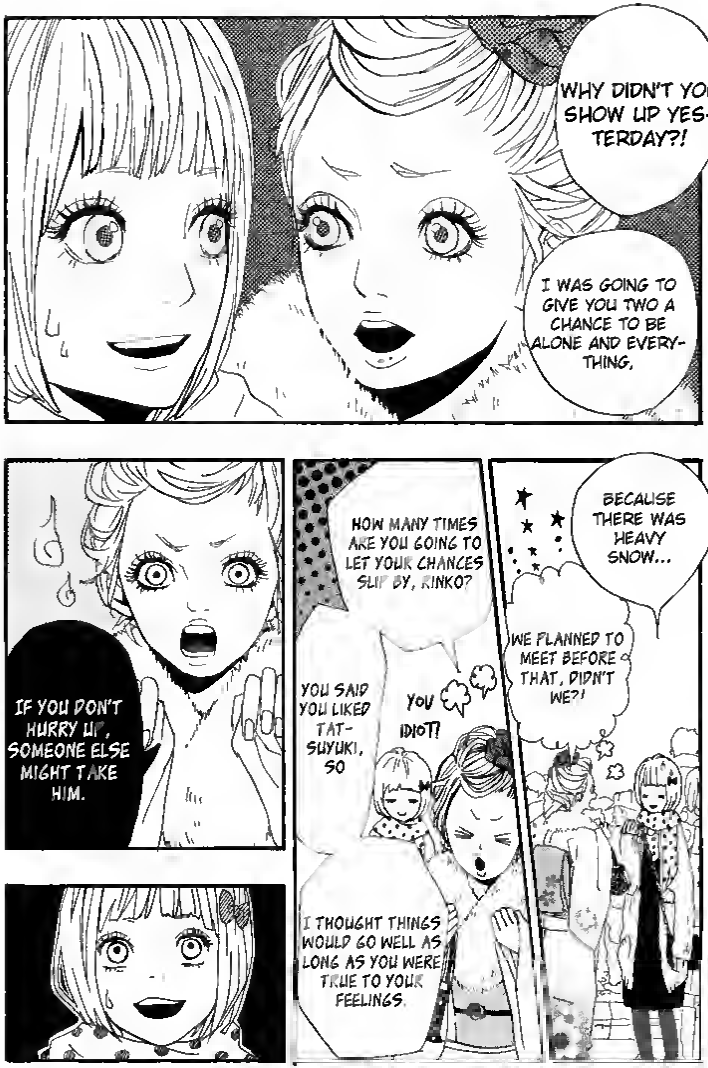
Silence....
…
THE SNOW STOPPED FALLING...
What..
happened just now...
Don't tell me.....
It's God?!
RINKO!

Happy New Years!


Soaked in water
SHOOOSH
DIDN'T FEEL LIKE IT?!
WHATEVER. I JUST DIDN'T FEEL LIKE WEARING IT, OKAY?

HUH?!
HAPPY NEW YEARS.
WHY THE HECK AREN'T YOU WEARING A KIMONO?!
YOU SAID YOU WERE GONNA WEAR ONE!


HEY!
What did I bring this camera for then? I was planning on taking photos of you looking cute in your kimono you know


WHY DIDN'T YOU SHOW UP YESTERDAY?!
I WAS GOING TO GIVE YOU TWO A CHANCE TO BE ALONE AND EVERYTHING,
IF YOU DON'T HURRY UP, SOMEONE ELSE MIGHT TAKE HIM.
HOW MANY TIMES ARE YOU GOING TO LET YOUR CHANCES SLIP BY, RINKO?
YOU SAID YOU LIKED TATSUYUKI, SO
YOU IDIOT!
I THOUGHT THINGS WOULD GO WELL AS LONG AS YOU WERE TRUE TO YOUR FEELINGS.
BECAUSE THERE WAS HEAVY SNOW...
WE PLANNED TO MEET BEFORE THAT, DIDN'T WE?!

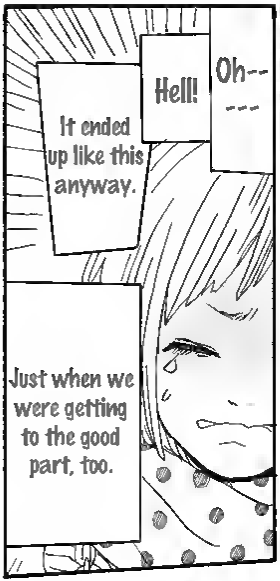
No way.
Click
This guy...?
Peace
In front of the Komainu
Click
OH.
HEE-EY!
WAKANA-CHAN.
*He's literally saying "ka-jay" so you could use "jay" just thought "Peace" sounded better
**Japanese shrine statue
Huh?
GOOD LUCK.
I HAVE NO CLUE.
WHO ARE THEY?
WELL, I'LL BE GOING NOW.
EH?
So that's how it goes?

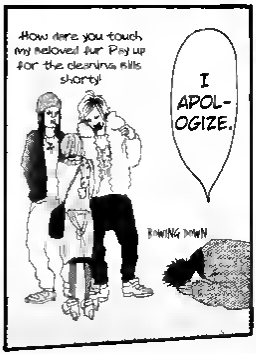
Woah! It's crowded
You're the best, Wakana!
WELL,
LET'S GO.
Because,
I'll try my best.
Right,
Tat-suyuki?
This year is differ-ent.
Bam!
UWAH!
OUCH.
I
Will become more honest.

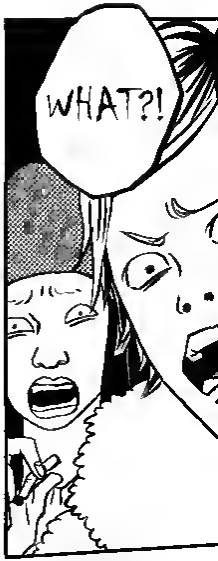
SORRY, RINKO.
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
OH LOOKY HERE!
SOMEONE PUSHED ME AND I ACCIDENTALLY GRABBED ONTO YOUR HAND.
GRASP
Be honest! Don't avoid it. Don't run away. Don't hit him.
?
WHAT'S WRONG?! RINKO!!
AREN'T YOU GOING TO SAY "GROSS!" AND PUSH ME AWAY?!
You're acting weird, Rinko!!
.....
SO...
I CAN HOLD YOUR HAND THEN...?
FOR... TODAY ONLY.
REALLY ?!

THANKS!
BAM!
GYAAH !!
Don't... tell me that this is... the power of the magic spell?!
Wow.... So I can do it after all.

THAT REALLY HURT.
WHY'D YOU BUMP INTO ME FOR, BRAT?
COME OVER HERE.
Grab
Ah!
!
Tat-suyuki...
DON'T TOUCH RINKO!
QUIT THAT!



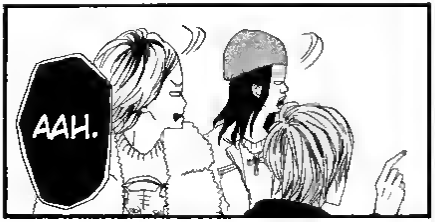




To hell with that magic spell!

To hell with God!!

Huh?
WHADDUYA DOING?!!
THAT FUCKING HURTS!!
MY HAND SLIPPED.
WHAT?!
THIS FUCKING KID!
ANYWAY, STANDING HERE, SMOKING AND SHOUTING....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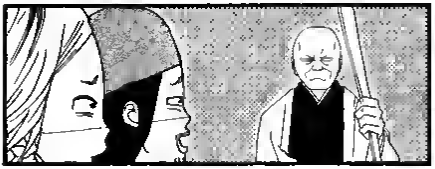
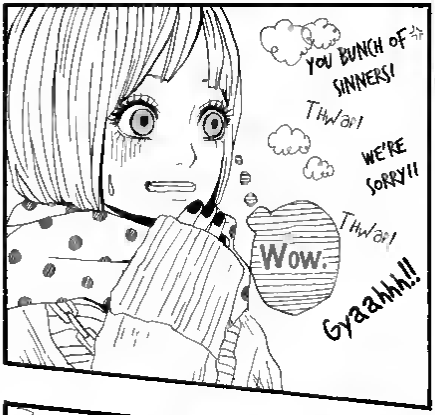


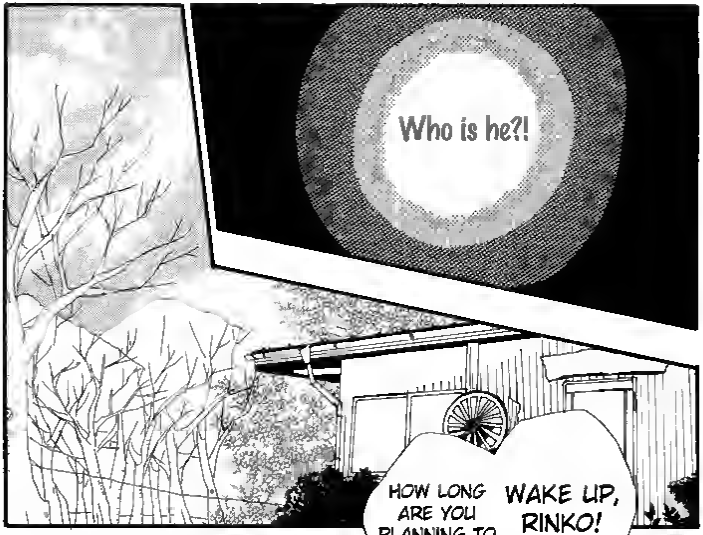

YOU BUNCH OF SINNERS!
THWAP!
WE'RE SORRY!!
THWAP!
Wow.
Gyaahh!!

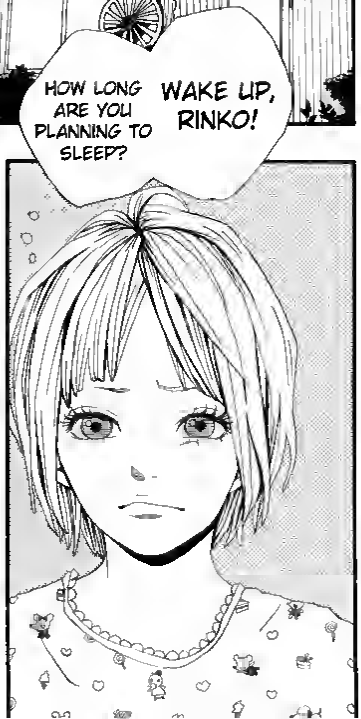
For saving me...
Oh, I need thank him!

YOU SHOULD APOLOGIZE TO GOD.

Huh?
He's gone....
ARE YOU OKAY, TATSUYUKI?
I'M SO SORRY, RINKO!
I...
COULDN'T DO ANYTHING...
THAT'S NOT TRUE.
YOU CAME TO HELP ME.
DON'T SWEAT IT.
SOB...
WELL...
THANKS FOR WALKING ME HOME.

That guy...
Any-way,
Oh, great.
I let another chance slip by.
Bye-bye!
I'm sorry, okay?
If only those guys didn't get in the way.
BUT THEY LOOK LIKE THIS?
WHAT?!
What a consid-erate guy.
That Tat-suyuki.


Who is he?!

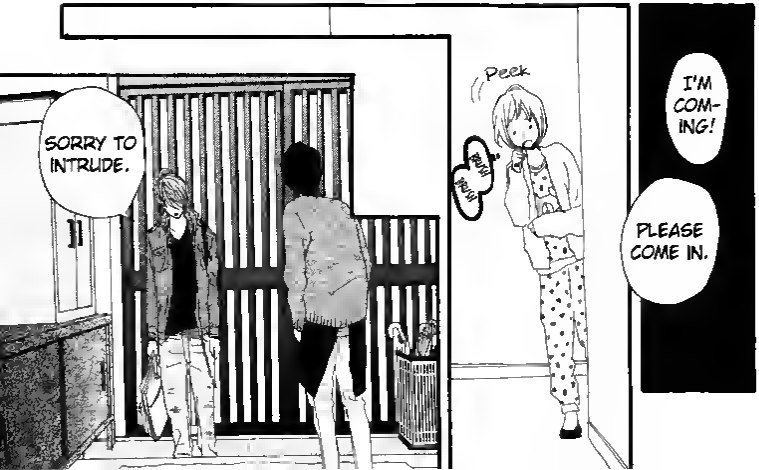

WAKE UP, RINKO!
HOW LONG ARE YOU PLANNING TO SLEEP?
HUH?
THE HOUSE IS TIDIED UP.
Are you cleaning again?
GO WASH YOUR FACE AND HURRY WITH YOUR BREAKFAST.
HUH? WHY?
There's no school today.

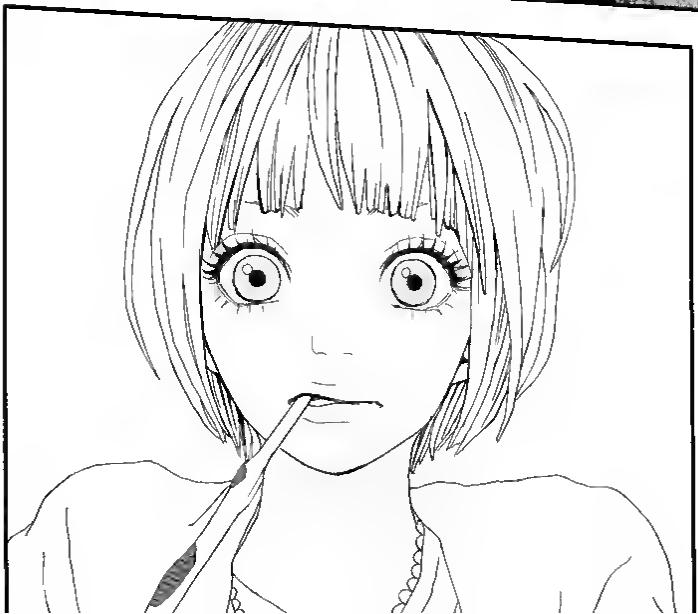
To
Tatsuyuki
Morning--
School starts tomorrow
♪ ♪ ♪
Finished your homework?!
DO YOU UNDER-...
THERE'S SOMEONE COMING TO WORK HERE TODAY
Tat-suyuki!
OH--- YOU NEVER LISTEN TO WHAT I TELL YOU.
TOLD ME WHAT?
I TOLD YOU BEFORE, DIDN'T I?
Rin Rin
Do we even have any?
What are you doing-mmm?
Home-work?
OUCH.
THWAP!
RINKO!

The happiness that I desire,
is for things to go well between Tatsuyuki and me.
Afterwards, with bambi, Bambi.....
Right now,
Where are you?

Return to me.
Hurry up and...

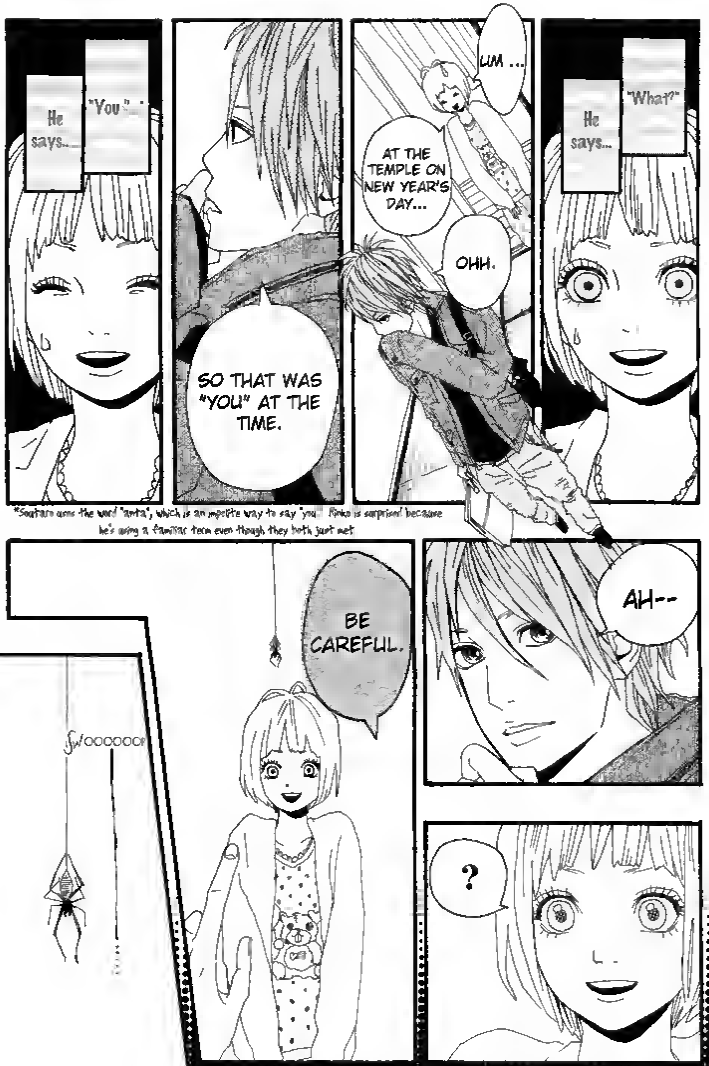
Ding Dong

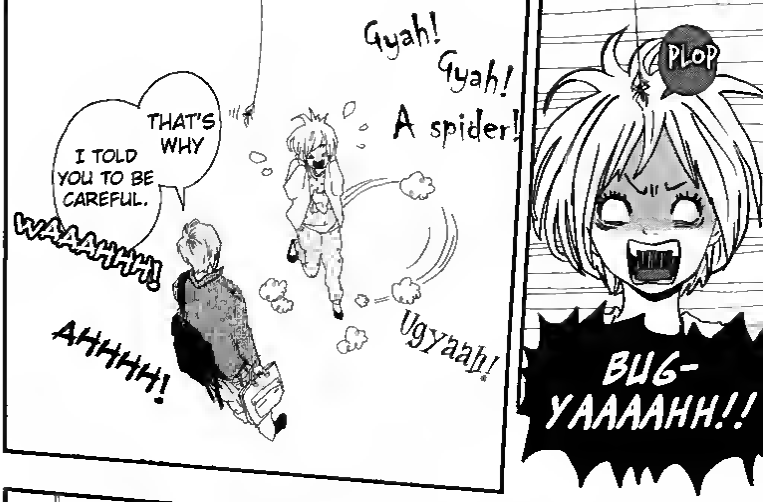

I'M COMING!
PLEASE COME IN.
Peek
Peek
SORRY TO INTRUDE.



Um...
Huh?!
No way!
What?!
It's that..
..boy.
THOK
Shloop
OH.
THE ROOF FELL.

Crack
Wow.
THIS IS SOUTARO-KUN.
HE'LL BE WORKING HERE STARTING TODAY.
Tap
Tap
Tap
RINKO.
BRING HIM TO THE SECOND STORY GUEST ROOM.
It's a miracle.
WHAT?
OH.
UM.
THANK YOU FOR SAVING ME EARLIER.
WELCOME.


He says...
"You"
SO THAT WAS "YOU" AT THE TIME.
UM...
AT THE TEMPLE ON NEW YEAR'S DAY...
OHH.
He says...
"What?"
*Soutaro uses the word "anta", which is an impolite way to say "you". Rinko is surprised because he's using a familiar form even though they both just met
BE CAREFUL.
AH--
ZWOOOOOO
?


Gyah!
Gyah!
A spider!
THAT'S WHY
I TOLD YOU TO BE CAREFUL.
WAAAHHH!
AHHHH!
Ugyaah!
PLOP
BUG-YAAAAHH!!

HUH?
NO WAY... DO POISONOUS SPIDERS JUST APPEAR LIKE THAT?
I SAW IT IN A BOOK.
HUH?!
I DON'T KNOW THAT WAS THE FIRST TIME I SAW ONE IN THE FLESH
IT'S POISONOUS.
THWAP
SHUT UP.

*Sentaro uses the 2nd person noun 'onake', which is an even cuter way to say 'you'. He's thinking his affection with her, even though he's a parent.

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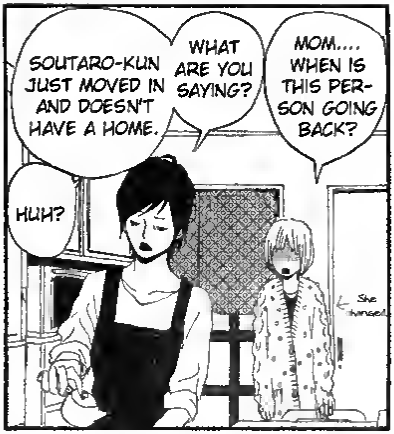
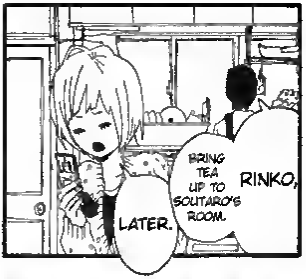
This person...

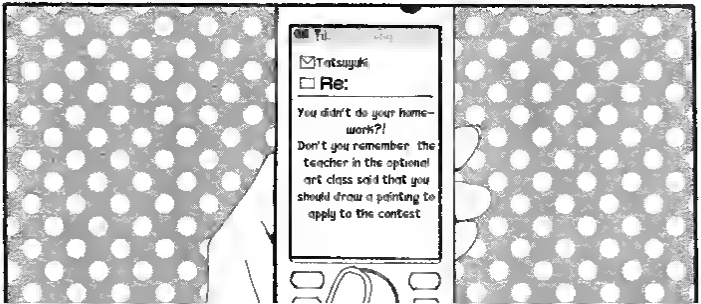
is extremely

unlikeable.

...






To:
Tatsuyuki
Re:
You didn't do your homework?! Don't you remember the teacher in the optional art class said that you should draw a painting to apply to the contest

You didn't do your homework?! Don't you remember, the teacher in the optional art class said that you should draw a painting to apply to the contest.
Silence
Oh crap!!
I forgot!
Submissions are due tomorrow!
And if I don't turn it in...
URRGH. THE TOOLS FOR PAINTING ARE AT SCHOOL!!
My evaluation will be minus 2!!!
THAT TEACHER IS REALLY SCARY TOO-----
THOK!
OUCH.

To hell with that magic spell------
I'll never do it again!!
Rustle
ゆめがかなう
おまじない
100選
Pissed off.
I'LL GO BUY SOME!!
EH?!
RINKO?!
DASH!
I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING LIKE THAT.
What should I do.....
Dota
Dota
DO YOU HAVE ANY PAINTING SUPPLIES?!
MO-OOO-OM!
I NEED PAPER, TOO!
PAINTING SUPPLIES?

HEY.
HOLD ON A MOMENT.
Really..
I don't mind having a bit of bad luck.
But I want just one thing,
even if it's just one thing,
to become my means of happiness.
COME HERE.

Mc
ゴールデンタイム
Kotoura
コトウラ
12.25 ON SALE!!
AOYAMA YUU [著]

Water Colors
12 colors

THESE ARE MINE,
BUT I'LL LEND THEM TO YOU.
THE WHITES ARE... USED UP THOUGH
THERE'S ALSO A SKETCH-BOOK.
AND PAPER

Why?
Why does this person have painting materials and a sketch book?
I'M SO RELIEVED
But more importantly...
DO YOU NORMALLY CRY... WHEN YOU'RE RELIEVED?
I GET HAPPY OVER INSIGNIFICANT THINGS LIKE THIS.
UH, OKAY....
AH!

A SPIDER.
Grasp
Could it be possible, that this person...

please! おたよりください

漫画を最初から読んでたけど、まさか自分が連載すると思わなかったです。がんばりたいです!!!

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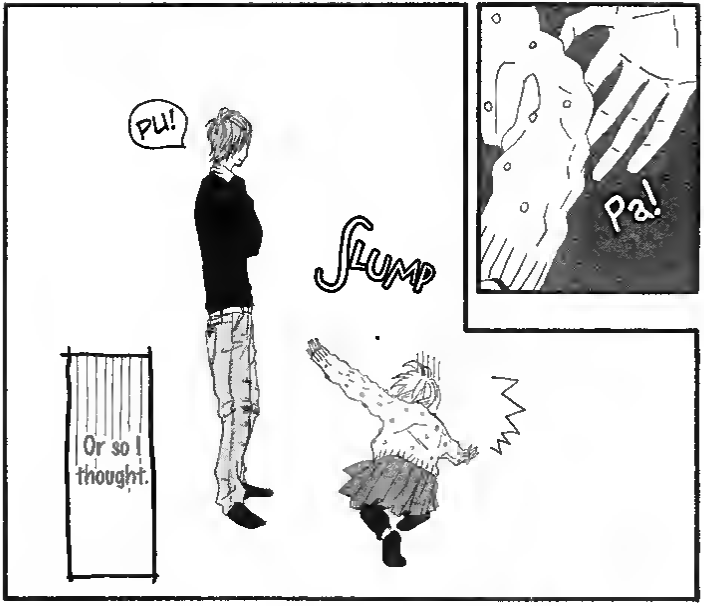
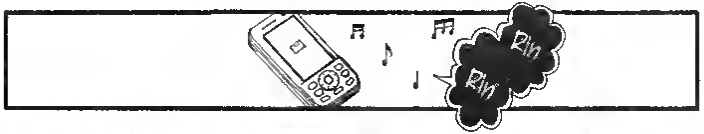
...was called from the magic spell I cast...
and is the God who will bring me...
Happiness?!


Pa!
Pu!
SLUMP
Or so I thought.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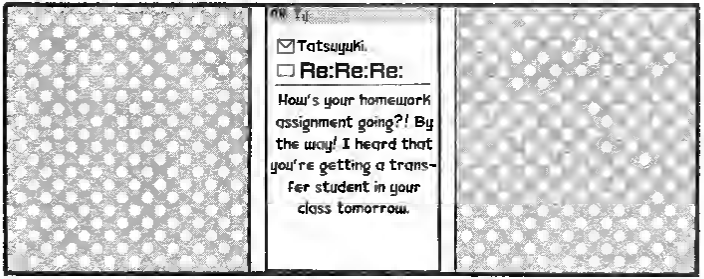
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How's your homework assignment going?! By the way! I heard that you're getting a transfer student in your class tomorrow.

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